

House Resolution No. 946

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Osa Clifton of Seneca, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of her One Hundredth Birthday on February 21, 2008; and

Whereas, on February 21, 1908, in Christian County, God brought a special gift to this great state with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Osa, who would put a twinkle in people's eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Osa Clifton had the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as being married to the man of her dreams and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, Osa Clifton has been blessed with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include three children; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Osa Clifton further distinguished herself by helping her husband farm approximately 350 acres while living in Christian County; and

Whereas, Osa Clifton has enjoyed many hobbies and pastimes over the years, a few of which include crocheting and quilting; and

Whereas, at the respectable age of 100, Osa Clifton is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Osa Clifton at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri centenarian Osa Clifton, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by _____
Representative Kevin Wilson
District No. 130

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session,
do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 946, adopted March 6, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker